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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Attorney Docket No. 028622/0101

In re patent application of

Achim DICKMANNNS et al.

Serial No. 08/981,583

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IMMORTALIZED EPITHELIAL TUMOR CELL

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2000, and is filed within the three month statutory period. It is believed that no fee is due, but in the event a fee is due, please consider this paragraph as the request for the extension of time and an authorization to withdraw the appropriate fee from Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as follows:

35. (Once amended) A method of treating a human subject for cancer or prophylaxis of cancer comprising administering a therapeutically effective amount of the [pharmaceutical] composition of claim 33 to a human subject suffering from epithelial cell cancer.